WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1969

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HOUSE BILL No. 703

(By Mr. McManus)

PASSED February 10, 1969
In Effect Ninety Days from Passage

FILED IN THE OFFICE
JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, IV
SECRETARY OF STATE
THIS DATE 2-15-69
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House Bill No. 703
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[Passed February 10, 1969; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section fifteen, article four-a, chapter seventeen-a of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the recordation of liens or encumbrances upon the face of a certificate of title to any vehicle, and increasing from five to ten years the period of validity without a refiling.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section fifteen, article four-a, chapter seventeen-a of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 4A. LIENS AND ENCUMBRANCES ON VEHICLES TO BE SHOWN ON CERTIFICATE OF TITLE; NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND PURCHASERS.

§17A-4A-15. Liens or encumbrances void after ten years unless refiled; refiling for additional two-year periods; deletion from lien index.

1 The filing of any lien or encumbrance and its recordation upon the face of a certificate of title to any vehicle

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as provided in this article shall be valid for a period of ten years only from the date of such filing, unless the lien or encumbrance is refiled in the manner provided in this article for filing and recordation in the first instance, in which event the lien or encumbrance shall be valid for successive additional periods of two years from the date of each such refiling.

When the last lien or encumbrance shown on a certificate of title becomes invalid by the passage of time as provided in this section, the commissioner of motor vehicles shall not be required to maintain a lien index as to such certificate of title.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

William Tompser
Chairman Senate Committee

Clayton C. Davidson
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House.
Takes effect ninety days from passage.

[Signature]
Clerk of the Senate

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Clerk of the House of Delegates

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President of the Senate

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Speaker House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 14th day of February, 1969.

Archibald Shane Jr.
Governor
PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR

Date 2/13/69
Time 3:15 p.m.

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